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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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	Robert Stevens	2162	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Robert Stevens, USPTO.

(3) Edward Kmett, Reg. No. 42,746.

(2) Shahid Alam, USPTO.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 25 July 2007.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☒ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 19-24.


Identification of prior art discussed: Makipaa, Tso, Spyglass.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative presented an overview of the invention. The parties compared the cited prior art to the invention, and discussed amendments further clarifying the elements of independent claim 19 and incorporating the subject matter of claim 20 into claim 19.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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SHAHID ALAM
PRIMARY EXAMINER

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09942569 First Named Applicant: Bertrand Berthelot
 Examiner: R. Stevens Art Unit: 2176 Status of Application: FOA 5/11/07

Tentative Participants:
 (1) Edward Kmett (2) Ex. Stevens
 (3) Shahid Alam (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: 7/25/07 Proposed Time: 1:00 (AM/PM) (PM)

Type of Interview Requested:
 (1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☒ YES ☐ NO
 If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>103</u>	<u>19-24</u>	<u>Prior Art 100 Spyglass</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented: Adopting documents in
accordance with art 35(d) (claim 20, eg.)

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on 7/25/07.
NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).
 This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

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